IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: David R. Cheriton

Assignee: Cisco Technology, Inc.

Title: Tunneled Security Groups

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Examiner: Piotr Poltorak Group Art Unit: 2134

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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Dear Sir:

Applicant respectfully petitions for a one-month extension of time within which to respond outstanding Office Action dated December 8, 2009, such extension allowing the undersigned until April 8, 2010, to respond.

The Commissioner is authorized to charge the fee of \$130.00 to Deposit Account No. 502306.

Respectfully submitted,

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